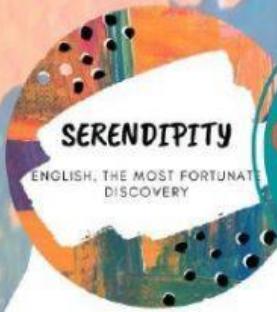


# Language in Practice



a. Complete the sentences with a regular verb in the past simple, first in the positive and then in the negative.

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1. Yesterday I missed my bus, but I didn't miss my train.

2. We \_\_\_\_\_ to the news, but we \_\_\_\_\_ to the weather.

3. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ French at school, but they \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish or Italian.

4. My sister \_\_\_\_\_ the film with me, but she \_\_\_\_\_ the football match.

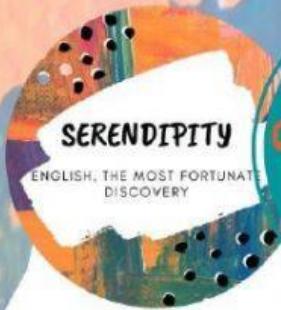
5. The secretary \_\_\_\_\_ a table for lunch, but she \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi.

6. I \_\_\_\_\_ some music onto my laptop, but I \_\_\_\_\_ any films.

7. The shop assistant \_\_\_\_\_ last Saturday, but she \_\_\_\_\_ on Sunday.

8. My boyfriend \_\_\_\_\_ rugby at school, but he \_\_\_\_\_ basketball.

# Language in Practice



b Order the words to make questions.

1. you/ did /night/ TV/ What/ on/ last/ watch?

A .....

B I watched the news.

2. did / match / the / time / finish / What ?

A .....

B At six o'clock.

3. your/ presents/ birthday/ like/ you/ Did?

A .....

B Yes, I did. They were great!

4. did/ university/ your/ at/ brother/ What / study?

A .....

B Modern Languages.

5. parents / your / arrive / late / Did?

A .....

B No, they didn't. They were early.

6. Germany /your/ in/ friends / did /Where/ live ?

A .....

B Hamburg.

7. of/ you / Did / at/ the / cry / film / end / the?

A .....

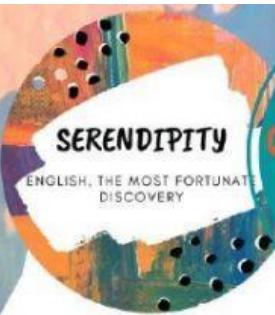
B Yes, I did. It was very sad.

8. time/ work/ did/ What/ arrive/ Sandra/ yesterday/ at?

A .....

B At ten o'clock.

# Language in Practice



c. Complete the questions and answers.

1990    1994    1997    2001    2004    2007    2009

## When did it happen?

1. when    the Channel Tunnel    open

.....?

It opened in .....

2 when    Michael Jackson    die

.....?

He died in .....

3 when    Facebook    start

.....?

It started in .....

4 when    Princess Diana    die

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She died in .....

5 when    the first tourist    travel into space

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The first tourist travelled into space in .....

6 when    iPhones    first appear

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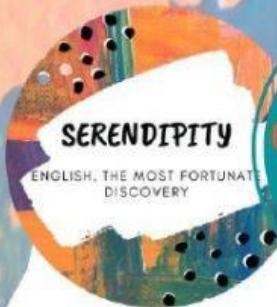
They appeared in .....

7 when    Tim Berners-Lee    create the World Wide Web

.....?

He created it in .....

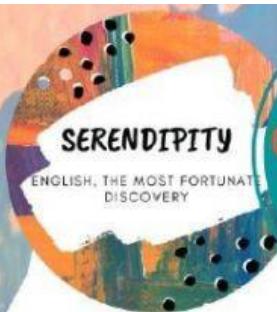
# Language in Practice



d. Choose the correct answer.

- 1 I chatted to my friends for an hour **last night / yesterday** night.
- 2 My girlfriend finished university **ago two years / two years ago**.
- 3 They travelled abroad **last month / the last month**.
- 4 Did you call me **last morning / yesterday morning**?
- 5 It stopped raining **two hours ago / two ago hours**.
- 6 My brother worked in Greece **last July / the last July**.
- 7 We watched that film **before two weeks / two weeks ago**.
- 8 David booked the tickets **yesterday afternoon / last afternoon**.
- 9 Steve was born **in 1990 / on 1990**.
- 10 I played golf **the day yesterday before/ the day before yesterday**.

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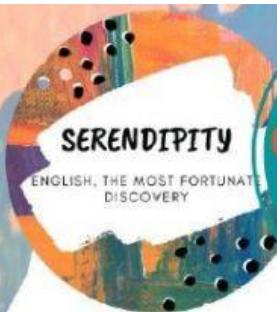
e Read the article and choose the best title.

- 1 The wrong match**
- 2 The wrong destination**
- 3 The wrong player**



**S**erbian tennis player Bojana Jovanovski was only 19 when she played in the San Diego Open. However, she very nearly missed the tournament. Her first match was in Carlsbad, California, so her agent booked a seat for her and gave her the ticket to Carlsbad. It was a long journey because Bojana needed to take three different planes. When she finally arrived in Carlsbad, she was surprised to find that the airport was empty. She waited for 15 minutes and then called Tournament Transport. The problem was that Bojana was in Carlsbad, New Mexico and the transport service was in Carlsbad, California where the tournament was. So, Bojana stayed in New Mexico for the night and then travelled to Carlsbad, California the next morning. She arrived only 30 minutes before the start of her match with the Italian player Roberta Vinci. Unfortunately, the day finished badly for Bojana because she lost the match 3-6, 6-4, 6-1. After that, she just wanted to go home!

# Language in Practice



f Read the article again and answer the questions.

1 How old was Bojana when the incident happened?

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2 Where was the tennis tournament?

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3 How did she travel to Carlsbad?

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4 Where did Bojana travel to first?

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5 When did she arrive at the tournament?

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6 Who did she play in her first match?

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7 Did she win?

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